FISCAL NOTE

SB 18 – HB 44

January 12, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Provides for a special local allocation of the state sales tax where property is owned by the Tennessee Valley Authority over which an easement has been given to the state of Tennessee and the state has leased its rights to a county for development.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - \$8,250 One-Time

Increase State Revenues - \$8,250 One-Time Increase State Expenditures - \$8,250 One-Time

Other Fiscal Impact - Forgone State Revenue - Exceeds \$500,000 Recurring

Assumptions:

- Shift of forgone state sales tax revenue estimated to exceed \$500,000 annually from the general fund, education fund, and municipal fund to a special fund to finance development in specified areas.
- No sales tax is currently collected in affected areas and project will not be undertaken unless this bill is enacted.
- Cost of software changes (estimated to be \$8,250), necessary to implement the provisions of this act, are paid to the Department of Revenue by Campbell County.
- Project cost is \$10,000,000 and would be financed over 30 years at a rate of 4.64% (national average for municipal bond rates according to Bloomberg News Service on 01/10/2005).
- Annual bond payment estimated to be \$620,000 per year (based on rate and term) paid through sales tax allocation.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director